EUROPE.

Sudden Termination of the Peace Negotiations.

Prussia Insists on a Cession of French Territory.

The Republic Will Not Listen to Such a Proposition.

Eugenie Reported on Her Way to the Prussian Headquarters

To Treat for Peace and Place Her Son Upon the Throne.

Conflicting Reports From the Vicinity of Paris.

Etc., Etc., Etc.

(Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.)

FROM ENGLAND.

Death of the Peace Movement.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Times has a special dispatch from Berlin stating that the late negotiations for peace have come to naught, owing to the persistence of Prussia in her demands for a cession of French territory.

The Times, in an article advising the British Government to make no further efforts to put a stop to the war now, says if England persist in negotiating for peace she must be ready to stake something on it.

Negotiations with the Empress.

The Standard says negotiations are actively going on between Versailles and the Empress Eugenie, at Chiselhurst, with a view to the return of the Empress to France to resume the Regency and negotiate a peace. The departure of the Empress, if it did not occur last night, may be expected at any moment.

Thiers has accepted a mission to negotiate an armistice, but still remains at Tours awaiting safe conduct to Paris to consult first with the government there.

Metz.

Negotiations for the surrender of Metz continue, but make slow progress. Bazaine imposes the French provisional Government in his communications.

A Prussian View of the Peace Negotiations.

The Berlin Gazette, reviewing the attempts at conciliation, says the Government is led to consider them by its desire to avoid further loss of valuable lives.

The Empress Eugenie.

[Tribune Cable.]

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The Imperialist busybodies have held meetings in London, with a view of making the Empress a party to the peace negotiations. The Prussians are in no way responsible for these efforts, and the Empress herself steadily refuses to encourage them. She has said to the Tribune correspondent that her hopes were wholly for her boy; that she regarded all attempts to replace herself or the Emperor on the throne idle, either now or hereafter, and that the chances of Louis could only be imperilled by being pushed now. She declares that she will hold herself wholly aloof from all political intrigues until peace is restored.

Thiers at Vincennes.

(World's Cable.)

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Thiers is now negotiating at Vincennes, and the Empress Eugenie is here awaiting the result.

The London press abandon hopes of peace, but the cabinet is confident of success.

Among the signs of peace is the fact that the Superintendent General of the Prussian army has refused to renew the contracts for provisions expiring on the 30th.

Mayor Maylan arrives from Versailles on the 21st that a reunion to General Boyer's mission is expected within four days.

Revenge of the Franc-Tireurs.

At Sperray the Prussian gen d'armes were hanged by the Franc-Tireurs.

French Arms.

The Journal Officiel promises that there will be ready by the end of Monday 217 mitrailleuses, 56 mortars, and 500 rifled cannon.

The Tours Government.

A special dispatch from Tours says the removal of the Government is again discussed there. Gambetta remains as Minister of War, but this is opposed by the other Ministers.

M. Grevy has resigned his position in the Government.

Spirit of the French Press.

TOURS, Oct. 23.—Journals received from the provinces continue to express a lack of confidence inspired by England. All of them see Prussian influence in it, as it is well understood capitulation are going on satisfactorily.

The same journals insist that the Government refuse the offer of mediation and continue the war to the death.

As yet Prussian safe-conduct for Thiers has not arrived. Something more is to be done in that direction.

[Surrender of Schelestadt.

LONDON, Oct. 24 —The town of Schelestadt capitulated yesterday to the besieging forces after a severe bombardment. The surrender includes twenty-four hundred prisoners and one hundred and twenty cannon.

The government at Tours permits the exportation of all articles heretofore placed on the prohibited list except cereals to Switzerland.

Aid Asked for Americans in Paris.

Bishop McIlvaine, of Ohio, in a letter to the Times solicits aid for the Americans in Paris, to be sent through Sir Curtis Hanson, who remains in that city.

Barings repudiate the investment of any funds on account of the Emperor of the French.

FROM FRANCE.

Precautionary Measures.

TOURS, Oct. 24, evening, via LONDON, Oct. 25.—M. Freme, formerly Mayor of the Ninth arrondissement of Paris, has been appointed director general of the safety committee of France.

The departmental committees have been authorized to remove all property or animals likely to be useful to the enemy. The Minister of War has been empowered to suspend traffic over any railroad for the same reason.

The departments of the Lower Seine and Eure are declared in a state of siege.

There have been many cases of insubordination and treachery, in which the guilty parties were punished with death.

The Sortie from Paris on Friday.

TOURS, Direct, Oct. 25.—Late advices from Paris show that the sortie made on the 21st was exceedingly successful. Many Prussians were killed and taken prisoners. The journals, commenting upon the Prussian report of this affair, call attention to its false statements, especially in representing the German loss as insignificant and claiming the capture of a number of prisoners, when the enemy took none.

The Balloon Service.

As the wind has been unfavorable for several days past, no balloons have left Paris.

From private, but reliable sources, we hear there are vast numbers of sick in the camps of the besiegers. On many occasions the discontent of the men has been loudly expressed and their commanding officers have been obliged to go often among the troops to keep up their morale.

Sorties are made nightly by small parties of Parisians, and the constant firing at night from the forts severely harasses the Prussians. Up to the present time the latter have not succeeded in erecting batteries of siege guns near enough to commence an effective bombardment of the city.

The gentleman who gives the above information is a resident of Versailles, and has been there since the enemy occupied the town until a day or two ago, when he managed to make his escape. He says that even in the vicinity of Versailles the Prussians are constantly annoyed by franc-tireurs, who keep up an active guerrilla warfare, firing from ambuscades, and daily killing numbers of the enemy.

On the Loire.

The following dispatches have been received:

LALOUPE, Oct. 24.—A large force of Prussians was at Courvielle to-day, and their scouts appeared at Pont Gouin, but in the evening they returned to Chartres after blowing up a bridge at Landeliers.

Retreat from Chatillon le Duc.

BESANCON, Oct. 24.—The invaders are retreating from Chatillon le Duc, taking seventeen wagon loads of wounded. They left a large number of dead on the field, among them a Colonel of Baden cavalry.

Successful Sortie at Verdun.

NEUFCHATEAU, Oct. 24.—Friday night the Prussians attempted to bombard Verdun, but their plans were discovered by gallant and successful sorties of the garrison. Our troops charged with the bayonet and killed numbers of the enemy. Two bodies of the besiegers, mistaking each other in the night for enemies, fought for hours and suffered heavy losses.

FROM GERMANY.

Friday's Battle from Paris.

STUTTGART, Oct. 25.—Bod Bank has telegraphed to the government here, on Sunday, that the French made a sortie across the Marne, at Joinville, on Friday last, against the Wurtemburg outposts. Three French battalions, with artillery and mitrailleuses, engaged our forces from that point, Joinville and Champigny. They were bravely repulsed by the 3d rifle battalion and part of the 7th regiment of Wurtemburgers, which lost two killed and wounded.

DARMSTADT, Oct. 24.—Baron Daswick has gone with Herr Hoffman to Versailles to attend the council of Ministers.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Italian Politics.

FLORENCE, Oct. 24.—Recent events in Italy have broken up old political organizations, and a general reconstruction of parties on a new basis is imminent.

The French Loan in London.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The city is excited over the introduction of the French loan of £10,000,000. It is the first time France ever negotiated a loan outside of her own territory It is received with great favor. The subscriptions are already very large.

Relief for Verdun.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 25.—The Echo says two thousand men, with two pieces of artillery, have marched from Thionville to Verdun to relieve the troops blockaded there.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—American securities quiet. Railway stocks dull; Erie 18¾.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 25, P. M.—Lard 74s. Wheat—receipts for three days 22,000 quarters, including 21,000 American.

LONDON, Oct. 25, P. M.—Consols, 92¾. Bonds quiet, coupons of 1862, 90¾; 1865s, 88¾; 1867s, 90½; 10-40s, 87¾. Stocks quiet; Erie, 18¾; Illinois Central, 114; Western, 23.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 25.—Cotton firm and unchanged. Sales estimated at 15,000 bales.

NEW YORK.

Erie Lets a Suit Go by Default—Trial of a Murder Case—The Election Laws in the U. S. Court—Theo. Allen Up for Perjury—The Dauntless Destroy the Sappho—New Episcopal Archbishopric Proposed—South Carolina Elections—Extent of the Late Storm—Military Interference in the Elections.

ERIE BY DEFAULT.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—When the case of Ramsey against the Erie Railway was called for trial this morning before Judge Barnard at the Supreme Court, special term, the counsel for the plaintiff moved for a postponement on the ground that an injunction had been imposed upon them by which they were restrained from preparing for trial till within four days. Judge Barnard denied the motion, whereupon the counsel refused to answer, and a default was taken by defendants.

INTERESTING MURDER TRIAL.

The trial of Thomas Jackson for shooting Assistant Engineer Douglass was continued to-day. The courtroom was densely crowded. The witnesses so far examined all testified that Douglass was endeavoring to get away when Jackson shot him.

THE ELECTION LAWS.

At the United States Circuit Court to-day, Judge Woodruff called the attention of the Grand Jury to the laws regulating elections. He pointed out the offences under the United States law of August, 1870, repealing all obnoxious statutes for the punishment of officers of election, and frauds, and said that a careful mind these laws was the entire power of the United States. He called on the Grand Jury to dismiss all partisan feeling, for the question was simply one of law, but of civil liberty. He also called attention to the offenses against the jury laws.

THE EXAMINATION OF THEO. ALLEN

on the charge of perjury was continued to-day before Justice Cox. But one witness was examined, who testified to false representation by Allen under oath. Allen's counsel objected that the charge was not sustained against his client because he belonged to the Young Democracy.

THE SUFFERERS BY THE WAR.

The Executive Committee of the Association for the Relief of Misery on the battle-fields appeal to the public for aid in sending a shipload of breadstuffs and meat to the starving people of the stricken districts of Ardenne and Alsace. Accompanying the appeal is a letter from H. S. Sanford, ex-Minister to Belgium, dated Brussels, Oct. 7, which states that in Ardenne alone, from Virton along the Belgian frontier, 200,000 people are in peril of starvation. Many are without shelter, have such as is void of bushes, and have procured from burning homes only the clothes upon their backs. They have only such food as charity provides or can still be obtained from scanty ungathered root crops, while winter is approaching, and thousands must perish unless help comes promptly.

MILITARY TO BE USED IN THE ELECTIONS.

It is understood Mr. Ackerman, Attorney General of the United States, arrived in the city last evening, for the purpose of consulting with District Attorney Noah Davis and Marshal Rynders as to the measures for the enforcement of the election laws. The Attorney General declares that all the power of the Government is to be exerted in the enforcement of the law.

A Times special, dated at Washington last evening, says that the dispatches received there from Paris of Oct. 6, giving brief details of the resistance to United States officers in their duty of enforcing the laws of Congress, created great surprise, for full faith in Secretary General Akerman left for New York to-morrow. People in New York may rest assured that the laws will be enforced, and that United States officers will be protected and sustained in the execution of their duty. Of this they may rest assured, and before November Comorrow night.

The 8th regiment of United States infantry are expected to start this week for Texas, from Fort Jefferson, North Carolina, from which port they are to sail in transports on Saturday next.

THE FISHERY QUESTION.

The rates of interest were advanced to 7 per cent currency and 7 per cent gold. The effect was slight and merely temporary, the rate reaching at the close 6@7 per cent currency.

Sterling exchange, bankers' bills, are strong at 9¾.

The gold market is weak; opened at 111¾, sold down to 111¼ on unfounded rumors of a successful termination of the peace negotiations in Europe, with large transactions, recovered to 111¾, and closed at 111⅝. The borrowing rates were flat at 1-64, and for carrying 3@3 per cent.

The gold clearances to-day were $69,000,000.

Government bonds are dull and heavy. The Treasury disbursed $655,780 on account of interest. The following were the closing quotations:

Coupons of '81	114
Coupons of '62	112¾@112¾
Coupons of '64	111¾@111¾
Coupons of '65	111¾@111¾
Do new	110¾@110¾
Coupons of '67	110¾@110¾
Coupons of '68	110¾@110¾
Ten-forties	109¾@109¾
Currency 6's	111¾@111¾

State securities are dull. The following were the closing quotations:

Missouri	91	Old Virgin	62½
Old Tenn	62½	Old N. Car	27
New Tenn	60½	New N. Car	27
New Virg'a	63		

The stock market is strong. The following were the closing 1:30 prices:

Canton	63¾	Pittsburg	103½
Cumberland	30	Northwestern	80¾
Western U. Tel	89¾	Do preferred	86¾
Quicksilver	34¾	Rock Island	111½
Mariposa	15½	N. Jersey Cen'l	108
Do preferred	30½	St. Paul	80¼
Adams Express	67	Do preferred	89¾
Wells & Fargo	77	Tol. & Wabash	69¾
American Ex	43¼	Do preferred	75
U. S. Express	56	Fort Wayne	91
Pacific Mail	45¾	Terre Haute	23
N. Y. Cen'l, com	92¾	Do preferred	55
N. Y. Cen'l, sc'p. 6	97	Chic & Alton	104¼
Erie	22¾	Do preferred	115¾
Erie preferred	45	Ohio & Mis'sippi	22¾
Harlem	133¾	C. C. and C	80½
Do preferred	135	C. C. & I. C	173¾
Reading	100¾	Illinois Central	136¾

Sub-treasury balance,	gold	$83,071,129
Do. do.	currency	7,094,822

CINCINNATI.

The Capital Removal Convention—Horace Greeley's Letter—Forney Writes Something too Long to be Read.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 25.—At the session of the National Capital Convention this afternoon, a Committee on Permanent Organization was appointed, as follows:

Harlan, Illinois; Coggswell, Nebraska; Hallam, Kentucky; Reaves, Missouri; Ricker, Kansas; Richenberger, Iowa; Stewart, Alabama; Scott, Washington Territory; Forney, Texas; Beach, Ohio.

Credentials—Kilburn, Iowa; Green, Illinois; Mayo, Missouri; Ambrose, Nebraska; Bevier, Kentucky.

Resolutions—Beardsley, Iowa; West, Kentucky; Whitney, Texas; Morrison, Illinois; Scott, Washington Territory; Ricker, Kansas; Van Voorhees, Ohio; Gere, Nebraska.

Permanent Officers Elected—President, G. N. Sterling, Alabama; Vice Presidents, G. W. Ambrose, Nebraska, Charles Beardsley, Iowa, R. S. Bevier, Kentucky, Edward Barlon, Kansas, C. G. Forshey, Texas, and James Scott, Washington Territory.

Sixty-five delegates report as follows: Ohio 23, Illinois 23, Missouri 6, Kentucky 3, Kansas 2, Nebraska 2, Indiana 1, Texas 1, Iowa 3, Washington Territory 2.

The following letter was read from Horace Greeley, to which allusion was made last night:

NEW YORK TRIBUNE, }
NEW YORK, Oct. 20, 1870. }

DEAR SIR: I have your letter of the 15th, inviting me to attend the Capital Convention at Cincinnati on the 25th. It is not possible that I should leave our State again pending our approaching elections. I can only find time to say that the subject of your deliberations is of the very greatest consequence to our country's future, and deserves prompt as well as earnest consideration. Washington seems to be an unfortunate location for our national metropolis and sure to be rendered less and less acceptable by the march of events. Our capital should be a great city. I prefer our greatest, supporting a partially independent press, whereby the acts and leanings of the Government would be criticised with absolute freedom from deflection in the hope of Federal patronage, or the fear of its withdrawal. It is also to be surrounded by a dense, intelligent, spirited population readily rallied in myriads to the defense of the Government, if such a thing arose. It should be the focus of art and literature and refinement, thus inviting the presence and commanding the admiration of the choice spirits of the entire civilized world. I judge New York to be pre-eminently that city; I am quite sure that Washington is not. Let the subject be thoroughly and generally discussed, and I feel confident that a change will be approved and demanded. Yours,

HORACE GREELEY.

L. U. REAVES, Cincinnati.

A long letter was presented from Col. John W. Forney, opposed to removal. After the reading of a well under way, objection was made on account of length. A motion to receive was carried, and to lay on the table lost. Pending the question to adopt the report and resolutions of the paper, the convention adjourned.

Col. Forney regards the agitation without the slightest necessity. The call for the convention was irregularly issued, and called for by public sentiment, and calculated to revive animosities in every respect unhappy and injurious. Inasmuch, he says, as the movement originated in the side of Democracy of the West, he proposes to arraign the convention before public opinion in the West, instead of the meeting here. He says that Sherman to the St. Louis Republican, and his remarks at a banquet in the city of Washington, a letter from Hon. Thomas Ewing, remarks of Hon. Schuyler Colfax, C. Washburne, of Wis. the opinion of the Ohio State Journal and the Cincinnati Gazette, and remarks of Hon. Gen. Logan, of Illinois. He further says that, while the Chicago Tribune and Chicago Republican are both impertinently in favor of these schemes, they did not hesitate to declare the St. Louis convention a failure. He quotes Senators Wade, of Ohio, and Howard, of Michigan. Colonel Forney says the proposition to the Columbia was disturbed by periodical discussions to the general detriment. He says the new plan of removing the nation's capital takes the place of the old one without any action, once more stirring bitter passions, and concludes by saying that, viewing it from every standpoint, he regards the movement fraught with incalculable mischief.

A motion made to adjourn to meet in Chicago was withdrawn. The convention meets to-morrow at 10 o'clock, at which time the Committee on Resolutions will submit a report. Other delegates are expected to-night.

ST. LOUIS.

Preparations for the Allen-Gallagher Mill—Mysterious Suicide—A Money-eyed Quartermaster Missing—Etc.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25.—The report that Gallagher the pugilist is sick is contradicted. The last preliminary deposit for the mill was made last night at the saloon of Tom Allen, by Col. John Clay, Gallagher taking care of the stakes. Mr. Roach, the representative of Allen, was on hand, and was soon followed by Mr. Kelley, the representative of Gallagher. The required amount, $300 for Allen and $100 for Gallagher, was put up, and the fight, which is arranged to come off on the 1st proximo, will in all probability take place, although the occurrence of "a hitch" is always a possibility in such cases. Allen, for the past few days, owing to the report circulated that Gallagher was sick, has not been under a severe course of training, but thinks by another week he will be able to meet his antagonist with success. Mr. Kelley, the trainer of Gallagher, reports his man in fine condition, and asserts that he is sanguine of success. The spot at which the fight is to take place is not fully determined, but it will probably be near the locality of the last mill. Allen was at his saloon last evening, and is looking well. Mr. Kelley, the trainer of Gallagher, would not allow his man to come to the city.

Lieutenant H. A. Smith, quartermaster of the Seventh United States Cavalry, has been missing between two and three weeks, and as he had considerable money when last seen, it is supposed he has been foully dealt with.

A young man from New York, name not reported, committed suicide yesterday in Kansas City. Among his papers was a letter from a Mrs. Hewlett, of Lansing, Iowa, supposed to be his sister.

General Canby, with a part of the Seventh Cavalry, has been ordered from Fort Hays to Fort Leavenworth for winter quarters.

Considerable shipments of arms have recently been made from Fort Leavenworth to the Ordnance Department at New York.

The Chickasaw Races.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 25.—The fall races of the Chickasaw Jockey Club began to-day:

In the first race, sweepstake, all ages, two mile heats, five started.

Longfellow	1 1
Defender	4 2
Rowser Scott	2 3
Irene Shephard	3 dis.
Mollie James	5 dis.

Time, 3:47¾.

Second race, Bradley stake, for two-year-olds, mile dash; won by Sancebox; Jeff. Davis, second, and Sallie Gallaher, third. Time, 1:47.

In the third race, Gayoso stake, mile heats, three-year olds, seven started:

Evasive	1 1
Jack McDonald	2 4
Alice Ward	3 2
Belle Turrell	4 3
Jennie June	5 5
Flash	ruled off.
Winchell	distanced.

Time—1:47¾, 1:47¾.

In the first heat Witchcraft was cut down by Flash in rack at first turn. It was declared an unintentional foul.

It rained this morning and the track is slow. There are a good many ladies in attendance, notwithstanding the threatening weather.

The Cotton States' Fair.

AUGUSTA, Oct. 25.—The first grand exposition of the Cotton States' Mechanics and Agricultural Fair Association, opened to-day. The number of articles of every kind on exhibition is very large.

WASHINGTON.

Senator Morton Declines the English Mission.

Troops Sent to New York to Enforce the Election Law.

A Peace Commission to Settle the South American Difficulties.

Official Report of Treasurer Spinner.

Etc., Etc., Etc.

(Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.)

MORTON.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The President today received a letter from Senator Morton, in which he formally declined the mission to England. The text of his letter is at present refused publication by the Executive, but it was understood that the principal reason given for the declination was that, since the appointment, the political complexion of the Indiana Legislature has changed, and that if he resigned a Democratic Senator would be elected to fill the vacancy. His duty to the Republican party, he says, forbids him to make the sacrifice.

WHO WILL BE APPOINTED.

As this result has been anticipated for some days, there has been a renewal of the gossip and speculation over the English mission, and Postmaster General Creswell's name has thus been mentioned. That official stated to-day he had not been tendered the mission; that it was not probable that he would be tendered it, and, further, that he did not desire it. Wendell Phillips, who is here, and whose name has also been mentioned, says that he is informed that the President still insists on appointing a Western man.

TROOPS FOR NEW YORK.

There is no doubt whatever that a very considerable military force is to be stationed in New York during the November election to enforce the new Congressional election law. The estimate was placed in military quarters to-day as high as 4,000. General Terryhas been ordered to command them, notwithstanding the fact that General McDowell is at the head of the Department of the East.

THE SOUTH AMERICAN DIFFICULTIES.

On Saturday next the international peace commission, between Spain and the South American republics, will convene in this city, with the United States Government as an arbitrator, to adjust the difficulties which have for some time existed between Spain on one hand and Chili, Peru, Ecuador and Bolivia on the other. The Spanish Minister will represent his own government, and commissioners from each of the South American republics will be here to represent that side. The Secretary of State will act as arbitrator, and both parties have agreed to abide by his decision.

(To the Associated Press.)

REPORT OF TREASURER SPINNER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 25.—The annual report of Treasurer Spinner will show for 1870, as compared with 1869:

Increased receipts	$48,398,221 50
Decreased expenditures	27,189,189 90
Total	$75,422,402 40
Decreased receipts	1,345,394 61
Increased expenditures	2,243,992 79
Total	$ 6,668,399 20

Being a clear gain by large collections and reduced expenditures of $68,734,030 20. The purchases of investments for special and sinking funds, for the year ending June 30th, were as follows:

Coupon bonds	$ 750,939 00
Registered stock	396,442 50
Premium paid on same	16,731,551 40
Accrued interest on same	1,425,153 49
Total	$19,304,084 39

APPOINTMENTS.

The following appointments were made today: James T. Hodge, Postmaster at Little Rock, Arkansas; James Seely, United States Attorney, Nevada.

COX AND THE PRESIDENT.

It may be stated with confidence that the reasons for General Cox's retirement involved no difference whatever on public affairs, and, contrary to rumor, no want of harmony on the policy of conducting affairs through the agency of civilians selected for their business qualification as well as for their known honesty and character. The only difficulty that could be construed as involving disagreement between Cox and the President was the Morehead claim. A year ago the President expressed to Cox his desire that no patent be signed in his name either for McGarrahan or the New Idra Company until Congress had finally acted upon the subject. The question of jurisdiction had been charged on both sides, and as the question was undergoing legislative inquiry even more than the Supreme Administration came into existence, and on the 22d of August last, the President wrote Cox a note, in which he communicated similar views, and prohibited the signing of such patent by the Secretary appointed to sign land patents for the President, unless by his own special order, or through the Secretary himself. The Secretary, on the reception of the President's note, promptly gave the required instruction to the land patent Secretary. General Cox explained to the President that McGarrahan's case was not before the Department. It was the New Idra Company's claim of the same quicksilver mines, the possession of which is contested by McGarrahan. But this matter was not the cause of Secretary Cox's resignation. The reason given for withholding the correspondence between Secretary Cox and the President, in regard to the resignation and its acceptance, is that it was, at the time it took place, considered to be private, by both parties, and involves no difference on public measures as a cause of official separation.

It has been ascertained from official sources that no person has yet been decided on for Commissioner of Internal Revenue, nor is it likely an appointment will be made for several weeks.

MILLING MERTS WITH A DISASTER.

Information was received at the Revenue Bureau to-day, from the Fourth District of Tennessee, to the effect that a band of disguised men burned the mills of James Mullins, late member of Congress, but now Collector of Internal Revenue. A large quantity of grain was destroyed, together with the entire buildings. The same band then proceeded to the residence of Mr. Bradshaw, a revenue agent, and endeavored to kill him. Mr. Bradshaw, having anticipated the attack, escaped by his rear door, and a volley fired at him fortunately did no injury. These lawless acts were committed in revenge for the suppression of certain illicit distilleries, which had been seized by Collector Mullins upon Bradshaw's information. The latter gentleman was an officer in the Confederate army.

The Newport Bridge—Aurora Borealis—Synod of Cincinnati, Etc.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 25.—At a meeting of joint committees from the Chamber of Commerce, Board of Trade and Common Council, on the Newport and Cincinnati Bridge, this day, dispatches were read from Major Parker of the Engineers, in which he says that the Secretary of War has directed the Board of Engineers to meet at once in Cincinnati to take into consideration the bridge now constructing. A committee was appointed to furnish them information.

There was an aurora display early this evening in the west, and at half-past ten the heavens a few degrees southeast were lit up with crimson light.

In the Synod of Cincinnati a committee of five were appointed to take into consideration the purchase of the Ohio Female College and to raise the money for the same.

The Synod finally adjourned at the close of the morning session.

The Baltimore Races.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 25.—In the hurdle race Biddy Malone beat Oysterman, Jr., in a two-mile heat. Time, 4¼ minutes.

In the second race for $10,000 match, Narragansett certified and Stamps walked over the course.

The dinner party stake for three-year-olds, for a two-mile race, was won by Preakness, with Eclipse second and Foster third. Time, 3:47¾.

In the mile-heats race Ortolon won the first heat, but Conductor took the second and third heats, and won the race. Time, 1:49½, 1:51 and 1:55.

Vanderbilt in a New Role.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25.—It is asserted here that Commodore Vanderbilt and other Eastern railroad magnates have secured a large tract of land opposite this city, in Illinois, with the view of establishing monster stockyards, and that negotiations are progressing for a similar tract on this side of the river. Some five hundred acres will be required for the operations of these gentlemen.

The Nashville District—Tennessee Temperance.

NASHVILLE, Oct. 25.—The Republican Convention to nominate a candidate for Congress in this district meets to-morrow. Col. Brewster, the present Representative, will probably be nominated without opposition.

The Grand Division of Sons of Temperance meets in Nashville to-morrow.

INDIANAPOLIS.

Official Democratic Majority on the State Ticket—Grant's Letter in Reply to Morton—Railroad Matters.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 25.—The Circuit Court of this county to-day appointed Gen. T. A. Morris, President of the Indianapolis and St. Louis Railroad, receiver for the Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Lafayette railroad, on complaint of several of the stockholders. The road is considered solvent, but a debt of $7,000,000, for the construction of branch roads, it being pressed, and which the road was unable to meet. The directors preferred the appointment of a receiver to permitting it to go into bankruptcy.

The official vote of all the counties in the State have been received. The Democratic majority on the State ticket is 2,455.

The following is the President's reply to Senator Morton's letter declining the English Mission:

EXECUTIVE MANSION, }
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21. }

"Hon. O. P. Morton.

DEAR SIR: Your letter of the 19th inst., declining the English Mission, with reasons therefor, I received. I fully concur with you in all the reasons which you give for the course which you find it your duty to pursue in the matter, but regret that the country is not to have your valuable services at the English Court at this important juncture. Your course, however, I deem wise, and it will be highly appreciated by your constituents in Indiana, and throughout the country. With assurances of my highest regard, I remain very truly, your obedient servant,

[Signed] "U. S. GRANT."

Fires Yesterday.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 25.—A fire broke out in the bonded warehouse of R. & F. Mears, in Steubenville, Ohio, this afternoon. Loss on building and stock ten thousand dollars; fully insured.

BOSTON, Oct. 25.—A fire in building 29 Milk street, this morning, damaged the property of Lyndon, glass company, $6,000, and Lathrop & Co., dry goods, $30,000, with other smaller losses; all insured.

EXETER, N. H. Oct. 25.—The Exeter machine shop and foundery, near the railroad depot, were destroyed by fire last night. One or two small buildings belonging to the railroad company were also destroyed. Loss estimated at $60,000. Insured for $30,000.

Union League Meeting at Philadelphia—Population of that City.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—The population ascertained by the complete census numbers 1,657,129.

The National Executive Committee of the Union League met to-day. The monthly report was received by Secretary Geyer, of encouraging news from Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, New York, and some of the Western States, and a promise of the gain of a Congressman in Kentucky. Action relative to the investigation of certain irregularities in Arkansas and Missouri was deferred till the annual council meet in December, and the committee adjourned until November.

Another Passenger of the Cambria Heard From.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 25.—Information is made public here, by a reliable party, that J. E. Hudson, of Cutts's Station, Indiana, has received a cable telegram from his brother, Albert Hudson, who was a passenger by the steamer Cambria, announcing his safe arrival at Glasgow. From this it would appear there is at least one survivor, who has not made known to the agents of the steamship line or English newspapers the fact of his safety, and leads to the hope that still others are safe.

The Red Stockings and Mutuals.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The game of base ball to-day resulted as follows:

Mutuals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Red Stockings	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—7

Official Election Returns from Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—Official returns from all but 2 Congressional Districts show a Republican majority of 4,293.

Georgia State Fair.

ATLANTA, Oct. 25.—About 20,000 persons visited the fair ground to-day. Pilot Temple, of St. Louis, won the trotting race for the premium of $2,500.

THE COURTS.

LOUISVILLE CHANCERY COURT.

HON. T. B. COCHRAN, CHANCELLOR.

Suits Instituted.

Thomas S. Kennedy, plaintiff, vs. the L. C. and L. R. R. Co., the L. and N. R. R. Co., the city of Louisville, H. C. Meriwether, Lyda C. Meriwether, Emma Milton and Eben Milton her husband, David M. McHenry, Sallie F. Meriwether, Emma Meriwether, Annie Meriwether, Edith Meriwether, and Evan Meriwether, defendants.

The plaintiff states that on the 28th day of March, 1855, he purchased from D. H. Meriwether, now deceased, a parcel of land, containing thirty-six and three-one hundredths acres, which he exchanged for lands lying within the corporate limits of the city of Louisville.

That defendants, the L. C. and L. R. R. Co., the L. and N. R. R. Co., have, under pretended authority of the legislature, the city of Louisville determined upon and located a road connecting the two railroads mentioned, and have taken possession of his land and are now engaged in constructing said road to his irreparable damage.

That they have no authority of law or otherwise to do so that at the date of plaintiff's deed, H. C. Meriwether was the owner and possessor of said land, and that the other parties defendant claim no interest in the same.

Wherefore he prays that defendants, the city of Louisville and the heirs of D. H. Meriwether, be enjoined and restrained from proceeding in the right of way to defendants, the L., C. & L. R. Co. and the L. & N. R. R. Co.; and that the defendants, the L., C. & L. R. R. Co. and L. & N. R. R. Co., be forever enjoined and restrained from using said land after doing plaintiff's property, &c., &c.

E. B. Hinkston and R. V. Snoderass, partners as Stratton & Snoderass, plaintiffs, vs. Jos. B. Kounts, defendant.

Petition for judgment and attachment for the recovery of a debt on a promissory note. Attachment issued for $118 95.

Philip Trumpp, plaintiff, vs. Rudolph, defendant.

Petition for judgment for debt on a promissory note and for attachment on property to secure the same. Attachment issued for $416 60.

The Louisville Courier and Journal.

Philip Tomppert, &c., vs. the Bank of Kentucky, John E. Hanorer, W. H. Perrin, Isham Hoodenson, W. L. Hallam, Henry Watterson, Barney H. Herring and E. M. Scobey, assignees, &c.

In this case the Chancellor made an order and decree, of which the following is the substance:

That on the 18th day of July, 1868, executed notes on the 18th day of July, 1868, executed and discounted a note or bill of exchange to the Bank of Kentucky, with the name of Philip Tomppert signed as their security for $1,400, due three months thereafter; and also another note for $468, due three months after date; that said bank obtained judgment in the Jefferson Court of Common Pleas for said amount, with interest thereon, and that upon some executions were issued from said Common Pleas Court and returned by said plaintiff, Tomppert, on the 30th day of July, 1869; and that it appearing that said Tomppert became surety for the said parties on said notes, and was compelled to pay them, upon which judgment was obtained and execution issued, but which was returned by the sheriff, July 20, 1869; and it also further appearing that said Harney, Hughes & Co. left the said Bank of Kentucky the sum of $4,528 35, dated November 16, 1868, due six months after date, with interest, signed by the said defendants, Hardin, Harney, Henderson, Haldeman and Watterson, payable to the order of said Harney, Hughes & Co., and endorsed by them as additional security to said bank for the debts above named, whereon said Tomppert was security to the said defendants, having been duly summoned, and failing to appear, and said plaintiff having brought the matter to enforce payment of the above named debts so far as the Bank of Kentucky may receive payments upon said note for $4,528 35 not with them as stated, it is ordered and adjudged that said plaintiff, Philip Tomppert, recover of said defendants Hardner, Perrin, Henderson, Haldeman and Watterson, the sum of $4,067 04, with interest thereon, that the Bank of Kentucky, to the extent of the indebtedness of Harney, Hughes & Co. to it, upon which plaintiff as surety shall have the benefit of this judgment, and shall credit all sums received thereon upon the above-named debts.

If the said bank enforce the payment of any of said above-named sums from said plaintiff Tomppert, then said Tomppert shall exhaust his property before the benefit of this judgment after the said debts due said bank are paid. For said note of Hatcher, Perrin, et al. shall be credited by the said sum of $4,067 04, for which judgment is hereby ordered as by this day, and the case is retained for the purpose of allowing Mosby, assigner, &c., to assert his claim for the balance due on said note.

UNITED STATES COURTS.

HON. BLAND BALLARD, JUDGE.

The following business was transacted yesterday:

DISTRICT COURT.

U. S. vs. 1 wood still, &c., and 36 barrels of spirits; bond for costs and claim by Alfred B. Davis filed to writs of attached effects. Agreed value of attached property $5,500. Order of restitution.

U. S. vs. Moyness McAfee, assault and battery; pleas of guilty; verdict, guilty, and judgment $5 fine and costs.

The grand jury returned a number of indictments, among which were the following: Thos. J. Porter, counterfeiting; Taylor W. Samuels, illicit distilling.

CIRCUIT COURT.

W. B. Harrison vs. L. & N. R. R. Co.; judgment by consent for $50.

U. S. vs. Bromley and Dennis, murder; set for first Thursday in MAY NEXT.

SEIX, Krouse & Co. vs. Green Wood & McBeathe et al., written argument filed and law and facts submitted to the court.

U. S. vs. Joseph Lewis, assault and battery; verdict, not guilty.

U. S. vs. A. J. Langford, illicit distilling; verdict, not guilty.

David Moreman vs. L. Barrockman, non suit and judgment.

U. S. vs. F. Williams, burglary; evidence heard in part and continued.

U. S. vs. Peter Pearl, illicit distilling; verdict, guilty, and judgment $1,000 fine and six months' confinement in the GRAYSON county jail.

JEFFERSON COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

HON. HENRY J. STITES, JUDGE.

M. Ellinger vs. Landorth's ex'rs; papers transferred to Louisville Chancery Court.

C. Obst vs. L. Dehorter; order of discontinuance of yesterday expressed, and non suit entered.

George A. Zoeller vs. Wm. Zoeller et ux; the same.

H. H. Bullmaster vs. James Allison; assigned to Nov. 15th, for trial.

John W. Johnson vs. Sigbert Oyler; assigned to 28th inst. for trial.

DECISIONS OF THE COURT OF APPEALS.

Reported Expressly for the COURIER-JOURNAL by DANIEL JAMES, *Attorney at Law, Frankfort.*

FRANKFORT, Oct. 25, 1870.

CAUSES DECIDED.

Kennedy vs. Hutchings, Harding; affirm

Courier-Journal.

LOUISVILLE, KY.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 25, 1876.

For Congress--Fifth District,

BOYD WINCHESTER,

OF JEFFERSON.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

(Eight lines of solid agate to constitute a square.)

Daily Courier-Journal.

1ST AND FOURTH PAGES--$1 25 per square for each insertion.

SECOND AND THIRD PAGES--$1 per square for each insertion for the first week; 75 cents per square for each insertion for the second week, and 75 cents per square for each insertion thereafter. One square per month, $10; two months, $18; three months, $25; every other day one month, $18; two months, $30; three months, $40.

"For Sale," "To Rent," "Wants," "Boarding," &c., marriages, deaths, obituaries, society and religious notices, 10 cents per line for each insertion. No advertisements for less than 25 cents.

"City Features," 25 cents per line. "City Items" 50 cents per line. "Local Notices" 75 cents per line. "Special Notices," 75 cents per line, each insertion.

"Medical," "Astrological," and "Lottery" advertising month 50 per cent. additional.

Cuts and stereotype advertisements double price.

Double column advertisements 50 per cent. additional. Advertisements to occupy fixed places 25 per cent. additional.

All advertisements, except for established business houses with whom we have running accounts, must be paid for in advance.

We file a copy of the first insertion of advertisement. All bills with regular advertisers rendered monthly.

Weekly Courier-Journal.

Two dollars per square, of eight lines solid agate for each insertion. Local notices or notices for less than 25 special notices, Rome & Decker rates or rates of daily.

☞ Rejected articles will not be returned to writers, and all news matter which is used will be paid for, if the charge be specified by the correspondent.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

THE DAILY.

One year, by mail,...	$12 00
Six Months,...	6 00
Three months,...	3 00
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To any person or fifteen, per week, 25 cents, payable to the carrier, or $13 per year if paid at the office. To News Agents, 2 cents per copy.

THE SUNDAY COURIER-JOURNAL.

One Year, by mail,...	$2 50
One year, delivered in the city,...	2 00

The Daily Courier-Journal, including Sunday's issue, by mail, $14 a year; delivered to city subscribers, $12 per year when paid at the office. Payable in the United States six times a week for 25 cents; seven times a week, 30 cents.

THE WEEKLY.

Single copy, one year,...	$1 25
Single copy, six months,...	75
Five to ten copies, one year, each,...	1 15
Ten to twenty copies, one year, each,...	1 05
Twenty copies and over, one year, each,...	1 00

An extra copy is allowed to the club agent for every club of ten or twenty. Six months' subscription copy for every additional ten subscribers; and an extra copy for a club of twenty. Specimen copies at 5 cents, and an additional extra copy for every ten subscribers ordered.

PAYMENTS ALWAYS TO BE MADE IN ADVANCE.

Money may be sent in postoffice orders or drafts, and will be remitted at our risk. Postmasters may send us 4 in the latter instance the money to be instructed in the presence of the Postmaster, whose certificate will be required in case of its loss.

SPECIMEN COPIES SENT GRATIS ON APPLICATION.

Notice to Candidates.

All communications recommending candidates for office will be charged for. Matter of this description is of a purely private and business character, relating to the interests of individuals and not coming under the head of news. There is scarcely a mail that does not bring us a quantity sufficient to fill the whole issue of the COURIER-JOURNAL, and discriminations being at once distasteful and invidious, we are compelled to put the matter upon a strictly commercial footing.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

Lexington ate 7,500 pounds of fresh fish last week, and complained of a scarcity.

Mr. Henry Rudy, of Taylorsport, went out deer-hunting with his son on Monday last. The young man fired at a deer running between friends, and his bullet accidentally entered his father's left breast. Mr. Rudy was alive at last accounts, but not expected to recover.

At Manchester on Monday last the courtday sales manifested an improved feeling in the stock market. Good forward feeding cattle, weighing 1,200 pounds, brought $4 45; those weighing 1,000 pounds, $4 05; two-year olds, $30 to $40 per head; yearlings, $20 50 to $25. Common cattle abundant and not much in demand. But few mules offered, and the demand not lively. One lot of two-year olds brought $112. The price of fat hogs for November delivery was generally fixed at $7.

The Lexington Statesman makes the following comparison of the census of Lexington for 1860 and 1870. "In 1860 there were of whites in this city 6,241; in 1870, 7,630, a gain in ten years of 1,389. Of blacks in 1860, 3,090; in 1870, 7,215, a gain of 4,125. Total population of the city in 1860, 9,331; in 1870, 14,845, a gain of 5,324. The total population of Fayette county in 1860 was 23,699; total population of the county in 1870, 26,705, a gain of 3,006. Total white population in 1860, 11,899; the total whites in 1870, 14,183; a gain of 2,284. The total colored population of county in 1860 was 10,700; total colored in 1870, 12,573; a gain of 1,873. The county outside of Lexington in 1860 had 5,658 whites; in 1870, 6,553; a gain of 895. The total blacks in county outside of city in 1860 was 7,620; in 1870, 5,357; a loss of 2,263. The city gained 4,125 blacks, the county lost 2,263, showing a clear gain in the whole county of 1,979 blacks. The total gain to the whole county of whites was 2,284. The gain of whites over the blacks in this county in ten years, 305."

SOUTHERN NEWS.

Jim Fisk is expected at the Columbus, Ga., fair.

The Mississippi State Fair commenced at Jackson on Monday.

There were eleven deaths from yellow fever in New Orleans on Monday.

The Mayo bridge, which was destroyed by the recent flood at Richmond, is being rebuilt.

The negro Lieutenant Governor of Louisiana draped his dwelling in mourning in honor of Lee.

Wm. H. Foster, Esq., formerly local editor of the Norfolk Day Book, has turned lecturer —and is popular.

Dr. Sevier, of Aberdeen, Miss., shipped a large quantity of corn to the North this year, and sold it at a handsome profit.

The sentence of Creed Taylor, the Mississippi murderer, has been commuted by the Governor to imprisonment for life.

There are 12,000 new voters, most of them Democrats, in West Virginia. They will vote for the first time in the coming fall elections.

The annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the State of Virginia will meet in the city of Lynchburg on the 9th of November.

Arrangements are made for the erection of a Union Railroad Depot at Kansas City, five hundred by one thousand feet in dimensions, to cost $750,000.

The Shenandoah Herald says that first quality of merchantable corn is selling, in the upper end of that, and in Rockingham county, at fifty cents per bushel.

Mrs. Ophelia Bennett, of Richmond, Va., stepped upon a parlor match, Friday, which was ignited, and, setting fire to her clothes, burned her so that she died the next day.

A note from the University of Virginia says that the number of matriculates on the 19th instant was 440. There are new arrivals daily, and "the prospect is good for at least five hundred."

A large number of hands are at work repairing the damage done by the late Virginia flood along the "Lynchburg level." The water will probably be turned on in two or three weeks.

A man in the outskirts of Richmond, Va., has been shooting bird-shot into people just for fun, because he was debarred from being interfered with for five years, owing to something the Judge said.

Mr. Henry Dusk, of South Carolina, who died at Saratoga last week, was formerly one of the largest planters in the South, and it was his plantation which was described at length by Edmund Kirke's "Among the Pines." He was a native of Maine.

Robert Hall, colored, says the Clarke (Va.) Courier, a few days ago purchased at public sale thirty-one acres of land adjoining the toll-gate on the Berryville and Millwood turnpike. Robert represents thirty-three colored families who design making settlements there.

The following queer nuptial notice appears in the Wytheville (Va.) Enterprise: "Married, on Wednesday, the 6th instant, in the streets of Ceddon, Bland county, Va., sitting on their horses, by Rev. J. H. Hoge, Mr. A. W. Kidd and Miss Rebecca Kidd, both of Bland county, Va."

Several members of the Virginia House of Delegates have made arrangements for attending the law lectures of Richmond College. The eminent ability of the trio who lecture upon law in this institution will doubtless attract many practicing lawyers to Richmond from the country around.

The grand jury of Hinds county, Miss., composed of an equal number of whites and blacks, have found bills for manslaughter against both Col. M. Yerger, who killed Col. Gause, and Sheet who killed the marshal of Jackson. A determined effort was made to procure the finding of indictments for murder, but failed in both cases.

In the Superior Court of Baltimore Thursday, in the case of Seibert vs. Lemon, the jury gave a verdict for the plaintiff for damages—$375. The Seiberts were tenants of Lemon, and the latter called on the lady in relation to rent, and after inquiring and assuring Mrs. Seibert that her husband was absent, engaged her in conversation and indulging in some compliments, seized her hand and kissed it.

The Lynchburg Virginian of the 20th says: "A special train on the Virginia and Tennessee Railroad left yesterday morning for Pulaski, having on board the Governor and committee appointed to examine the value of the material, stock, &c., of the railroads

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composing the proposed consolidation line. We are informed that the committee, have engaged the services of an experienced engineer of Baltimore to assist them, and will proceed with their labors with all possible diligence."

Heretofore the Department of the Interior has been the only branch of the Administration that was not run as a mere political machine. This state of things didn't suit Gen. GRANT, and Secretary Cox was made to walk the plank. Commissioner DELANO, who, has long been consumed by an insatiable desire to get into the Cabinet, takes his place, and his whole official conduct since he became the head of the Internal Revenue Department gives us abundant assurance that now everything will be extremely lovely. The "harmony" of the Cabinet will never be disturbed by his conscientious scruples.

An effort is being made by the friends of Gen. GRANT to create the impression in the public mind that Gen. COX resigned his position as Secretary of the Interior for "personal and private reasons" only. In referring to the matter the New York Evening Post, one of the most able and candid of all the Radical organs, says: "There is not a word of truth in these assertions. General Cox was driven out of the Cabinet by the intrigues of a parcel of 'men inside politics,' who could not misuse his department for their own purposes while he was at its head, and to whose solicitations President GRANT weakly succumbed. It is not pleasant for those who have long been friends of the President, and who would be but too glad to support him, to know that in this matter his course has been totally indefensible; and that it is not for the good of the country, but for the advantage of a set of corrupt and corrupting political schemers, that General GRANT has suffered General COX to be driven from his side." This is no doubt the truth of the matter. The President has suffered CAMERON, DRAKE and CHANDLER to distract him of his only Cabinet officer that was worth keeping.

Cincinnati is proclaimed by its press the most malignant city in America. Not only the Gazette, the organ of the Republicans, and the Price Currant, the organ of the merchants, have gone out of their way to defame the memory of Gen. LEE and to offer gratuitous insults to the Southern people, but the Commercial, which represents the least partisan elements in Cincinnati, is still more bitter in its tone. The issue of the New Orleans Bulletin for last Monday a week ago said: "All day Saturday the flags of the steamers and sailing vessels in port were displayed at half-mast in honor of the memory of General ROBERT E. LEE. There was, however, one exception, which was generally noticed and commented upon—one commander who either purposely, through a littleness of soul, or from carelessness, failed to display his colors. We refer to the Cincinnati packet Kate Putnam." To which the Cincinnati Commercial responds: "Capt. ED. EVANS, of the Kate Putnam, did right not to display the United States flag at half-mast for a rebel leader, who, with his followers, had trailed it in the dust. No loyal citizen of the United States will display his colors to honor traitors. It will be remembered that the Westmoreland, Captain ED. EVANS, was one of the first steamers fired into and one of her passengers killed by the rebels, just after the fire on Fort Sumpter." The other day, when Cincinnati had something to make out of the South, it was "our Southern brethren." Now, when Cincinnati gives vent to her real feelings, it is "rebels" and "traitors."

Pensacola, Florida.

The Pensacola and Louisville railroad, which will be completed to its junction with the Mobile and Montgomery railroad with the winter of 1870, will bring Pensacola into such intimate communion with this city that its improvement and growth must become a matter of importance to our merchants and citizens generally. With the professed view of arousing a spirit of inquiry through the sections of the South through which this railroad and its connections will run, the Pensacola City Company, incorporated this year by act of Legislature, have issued and widely disseminated a pamphlet discussing the natural facilities of Pensacola and what scope there may be in that city for the application of capital, industry and talent.

The commerce of Pensacola has hitherto been limited to the export of Florida timber brought down on the rivers and creeks emptying into its harbor. But this new road, establishing a connecting link with the entire railroad system of the South and West, brings the city as near to Chicago as is New York and furnishes an outlet for the export of grain and other commodities, demanded by the trade of the West India islands and of the large class of consumers living upon the shores of the Gulf and in Central and South America. The harbor of Pensacola has been long known as one of the best upon the Gulf coast. It is thoroughly landlocked, the severest gale never having resulted in a wreck. It covers an area of over two hundred square miles, being about thirty miles long and from five to eight miles in width, having a fine anchorage and an average depth of from thirty to thirty-five feet. The entrance to the harbor is about half a mile wide, with a depth upon the bar of twenty-four feet, and not less upon the wharfage line of the city. It will be readily seen, by reference to the map, that the Pensacola route of transportation from Chicago and the West shortens the exchange of commodities with the Southern ports by thousands of miles and many days. As an outlet for the commerce of the Mississippi valley this harbor of Pensacola has this advantage over New Orleans, in that it is close to the Gulf, and not obstructed in its commerce by a shifting and treacherous bar, and as obviating the necessity of a costly system of towage. Its advantage over New York, as a place of export and import for the far Southern commodities and productions, lies in the fact that, being as near Chicago as is New York, the added cost of transportation, after such commodities shall have reached the metropolis, will be saved. Its harbor and facilities for carriage and shipment being as represented, Pensacola must speedily be lifted to the dignity of a first-class commercial city. Aside from its natural commercial situation, the city lies in a fruitful and healthy district, offering inducements for the immigration of farmers and planters, and is an attractive place of residence for merchants or manufacturers investing their capital in the city itself. Further than all this, the Louisville and Pensacola road intersects the extended beds of coal in Alabama and cannot fail to make their working a profitable investment, to say nothing of the immense benefit arising to the city itself and to the adjoining country from their opening. The railroad now in process of construction by the British Government across Honduras will divert the carriage around the Cape of concentrated fertilizers from the islands of the Pacific to the commercial cities of the Gulf coast, and its advantageous position must secure to Pensacola a large share of this trade. The rapid development of the iron mines of Alabama, whose natural outlet to the markets of the world is the port of Pensacola, will not only contribute a considerable quota to the commerce of the port, but will, in connection with the immense tracts of contiguous forests, furnish superior material for ship-building, which, at no distant day, must rival in extent the industry of Northern ports.

Though not an El Dorado, this city of

horror came over me, and in imagination I beheld the specters of all the MAUPRATS, with their bloody hands, and eyes bleared with wine. Starting up, and yielding to the horror I felt, I was about to take flight, when, suddenly, I saw standing before me a figure so distinct, so life-like, so distinguished by every appearance of reality from the phantoms by which I had been beset, that I fell back in my chair bathed in a cold sweat. JEAN MAUPRAT was standing by the bed. Apparently he had just gotten out of it, for he was still holding the curtains partly open. He looked as of old, excepting he had grown thinner, paler, more hideous; his head was shaved, and his body was enveloped in a winding sheet of somber hue. He cast an infernal glance upon me; a malignant and scornful smile contorted his thin and withered lips. He stood motionless, his sparkling eyes fastened upon mine, and seemed about to speak. I was convinced, at this instant, that what I saw was a living being, a man of flesh and blood; it is inconceivable, therefore, that I should have been frozen with a childish terror. But I should deny it in vain, and never afterward could I explain it to myself,—I was enchained by fear. His glance petrified me, my tongue was paralyzed. Blaircan (the dog) sprang upon him; then, lifting his arm, he agitated the folds of his lugubrious garment, resembling a shroud soiled by the humidity of the sepulcher, and I fainted."

Antonia is a charming story, conceived in a very different spirit from Mauprat,—the narrative places us in Paris at the beginning of the eighteenth century; it is a story of love, and yet by the variety of character and the play of opposed interests in its pages, it is interesting in more ways than a love story pure and simple generally is to mature readers. Instead of power, as in Mauprat, we have sentiment, and skillful portraiture of manners. If our pen can help the reader to enjoy the exquisite tenderness and beauty of some parts of Antonia, it shall do so in taking a description of a garden scene: The Countess d'Estrelle is in love; the hour is late, and she lingers in her garden, in the balmy air, surrendered to delicious emotions.

"The song of the nightingale was hushed; he was asleep over his young brood. The silence was profound; even the zephyr (the breeze of those days) was so deliciously drowsy, that it did not stir a blade of grass. Paris was asleep also, at least in the peaceful quarter, the extremity of which was marked by the hotel d'Estrelle. You were more likely to hear sounds peculiar to the country than to the city in this region; so so late an hour they were confined to the occasional crowing of a cock and the barking of a dog, at long intervals. The chimes rang out the hour of night; their sweet silver voices echoing each other from convent to convent; then ecstatic silence reigned again. If the distant rolling of some vehicle rattling over the pavement of the busy quarter of Paris became faintly audible, it sounded rather like the low murmuring of a wave than a noise produced by human activity.

"JULIE, fatigued and a little bewildered, inhaled with delight the calmness of the night, the perfume of this solitude. She turned her eyes upon a great white star suspended in the heavens, not far from the moon, and reflected in the same ripple. For a time she thought of nothing, remembered nothing—she merely rested."

But enough. The reader must go to the source of so much grace and charm and power to appreciate the harmonious flow and the sustained force of the genius of GEORGE SAND. In conclusion of our necessarily inadequate review, let us express the wish that Valentine, the most eloquent love story in any language, and Francois le Champi, one of the most delightful and simple stories of peasant life—the two diverse *chefs d'œuvre* of GEORGE SAND's genius—will soon be selected for the most spirited and careful translation into English, for which Miss VAUGHAN is admirably qualified.

☞ Some months ago DAVID S. BENNETT, a member of Congress from Western New York, sued the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser for libel, laying the damages at one hundred thousand dollars. The case, which attracted a good deal of attention, was decided a few days since, the jury, after being out an hour and a half, returning a verdict for the defendant. They couldn't see how a Radical Congressman's character could possibly be worth half the amount claimed.

☞ The Chicago Tribune says: "The tendency of the Executive to regard the appointing power as a sort of Presidential pin-money, which the President may spend where he pleases, has been increasing for years and now needs some effectual check." Well, the Executive has a weakness for checks. He will accept all you will offer him, even if they don't amount to more than ten dollars each.

☞ The Mobile Register thinks the earth lost a fine opportunity the other day when she failed to swallow BUTLER, TILTON, SUMNER and BEN. WADE. We can tell the Register that when things come to such a pass that the earth can't do a little quaking without swallowing such a mass of stuff as that, she'll quit the business altogether.

☞ The Cincinnati Gazette asks: "How shall we dispose of the heroes of the Southern rebellion in our future history and traditions?" How would it do to serve them as you did the Green-line excursionists—that is, invite them to share the hospitality of your history and traditions, and then charge them for hack-hire and lodgings?

☞ It is said that the son of BRIGHAM YOUNG is about to marry a flourishing female seminary at Salt Lake City—all but the principal and the teacher of music, who are excepted, not from any fault of their own, but because one of them is a married woman and the other a Frenchman.

☞ Congress is going to erect an Executive mansion five miles out of Washington for the summer residence of the President. The object of this movement is to prove, we take it, that GRANT is not "a man without a country" seat.

☞ Since the French Emperor has swapped places with the King of Prussia, and changed the blade of a Louis for a William's hoe, he seems to have been more prosperous in cultivating the soil of Germany.

☞ The Detroit Post says a certain Chicago editor "pretends to be virtuously indignant." Well, let him pretend to be virtuous in his indignation, since he can pretend to be virtuous in nothing else.

☞ The New York editors are constantly talking about the "Hell Gate obstructions." Let them stop talking and go on. The obstructions won't keep many of them from getting through.

☞ The Detroit Tribune evidently believes that WADE HAMPTON is a liar—almost as much a liar as if he were in the habit of repeating some of the political assertions of the Tribune.

☞ A Boston paper says that the rebel scribblers who so persistently abuse Gen. BUTLER "only blacken their paper, not his character." True, for his character is black already.

☞ The Radicals of Jersey City have nominated one HORNBLOWER for the Legislature. Radicalism elsewhere is content to blow its own horn.

☞ Gen. GRANT went into the army as poor as a church mouse. He came out rich as an English bishop.

CITY ITEMS.

Rip Van Winkle.

There are few people in this country who are not familiar with Jefferson's matchless rendition of the legend of Rip Van Winkle. When Jefferson played last at Louisville, in the scene between Rip and Nick Vedder, the village landlord, over the discussion of Nick's schnapps, the scene was made more than usually laughable by the following by-play: It seems that Jefferson had complained of not feeling well, and the Nick Vedder of the evening, wishing to do a good turn, had procured a bottle of Walker's Tonic Bitters and filled the stage drinking cups to the brim. When Rip, with his characteristic "Here's to your good health and your family's, may they live long and prosper," had taken a hearty pull, he hastily turned toward Nick—"Nick Vedder, ver you git dem schnappe?" Nick was obliged to say, as he eyed the tempting flask and then took another mutual swig, "Dat was Walker's best Tonic Bitters, Rip, and if you drink only dis for the stomach's sake, Dame Gretchen will have never cause to raise her broomstick over your back again."

We can only say with Nick Vedder that, if you drink only Walker's Tonic Bitters and pure Holland Schnapps, for the stomach's sake, you will avoid or cure many of the ills incident to humanity.

☞ Venison—first of the season—at Walker's Exchange.

Wintersmith's Tonic Syrup or Improved Chill Cure—The Most Successful Fever and Ague Medicine Known—The Wonderful Superiority over Other Chill Remedies.

This preparation contains no quinine or arsenic, nor any deleterious substance whatever. All who have had chills and fever, and have taken quinine, calomel or arsenic (which are the principal ingredients of most of the medicines now in use), are aware that the medicines often leave the system in an unhealthy condition, making it more difficult to relieve it of their effects than of the original disease. Wintersmith's Improved Chill Cure leaves the system in a perfectly healthy condition, with no bad effects in any way to be worn off. Unlike other remedies generally, it requires no purgative to be taken with it, the medicine itself acting gently and agreeably upon the liver and bowels, effectually removing the cause of the disease, not merely temporarily checking it. Herein consists its great superiority over all other chill preparations. The cure is a permanent one; the chill will not return periodically, as is the case when broken by quinine and other medicines. Read the two certificates below:

WHAT AN EMINENT CHEMIST SAYS OF WINTERSMITH'S TONIC SYRUP.

Read the testimonial of Dr. J. P. Barnum, the eminent chemist and proprietor of the well-known Louisville Chemical Works:

LOUISVILLE CHEMICAL WORKS, July 16, 1869.

Dr. Wintersmith:

DEAR SIR: I am acquainted with your formula and method of preparing your Tonic Syrup or Improved Chill Cure. It gives me pleasure to state that it contains no arsenic, but is strictly a vegetable preparation, and has, in my opinion, more than ordinary merit as a domestic remedy for malarial diseases. I have used the medicine in several cases of chills and fever of long standing, some of them for years, and it has been in every case a perfect success.

J. P. BARNUM, M. D.

CERTIFICATE OF BRIDGET GRIFFIN.

She was cured by Wintersmith's Tonic Syrup after all other remedies had failed:

LOUISVILLE, March 18, 1870.

Dr. Wintersmith:

DEAR SIR: For several months last year, I was suffering with fever and ague. During that time I had two Doctors attending me. They gave me does after dose of quinine and other medicines, but with only temporary effect. They would break the chills, but in a short time they would return again. I tried several other chill remedies I saw advertised; but it was just the same thing. They would break the chills for a short time only, when they would come back again worse than ever. I was advised to try your Tonic Syrup, and was told that it never failed. I took only one bottle. It cured me right off, and, though it has now been several months since, I have had no more chills.

BRIDGET GRIFFIN.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Brown's Cough Balsam

is a safe, certain and speedy cure for coughs, colds, asthma, measles, bronchitis, hoarseness, croup, influenza, whooping-cough, &c. For sale by George H. Cary & Co., 81 Fourth street, near Main; wholesale and retail.

Public Speaking.

Hon. John Young Brown will address the people at

Lancaster, Monday, Oct. 31st.
Richmond, Tuesday, Nov. 1st.
Monticello, Friday, Nov. 4th.
Speaking at 1 o'clock p. m. oct24 did&wl

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which is fast becoming a household word, is derived from the Greek, and composed of two words, *ozein*, not odorous, "odzo," breathe, means to preserve, and "odontos," the teeth. Sozodont, a preserver of the teeth. And it is true to its name.

"Spalding's glue" will mend your ways, or anything else that needs mending. Old M, W&F

☞ Velvet and opera cloaks, the largest stock, at MORRIS LEVI'S, No. 107 Fourth street. Oct23 Su&W

☞ See advertisement of Dr. Butts' Dispensary, headed "Book for the Million—Marriage Guide," in another column. It should be read by all. au9 dawly

Money Loaned on Collateral Security.

Ladies and gentlemen wanting to borrow money for a few days or weeks will consult their interests by a call at this office. Gold and silver watches, diamonds, &c., and other valuables taken as security. Business fair, equitable and satisfactory, by C. HAGAN,
oct 030 714 Third street.

Velvet Ribbons.

A full stock of black and fancy colors, just received, at the STOCKING FACTORY, second floor, 148 Market street. oct25 d3

☞ We call attention to the advertisement of Lithgow & Co., warning persons from using the "*Wallace Patent Grate*," except through them. This grate has been thoroughly tried, and its reputation is fixed. It is conceded to be the best in use.

We observe they offer fairly; promising if any are bought and parties are not satisfied with it, they will take it out and put in any other without charge. This is business, and secures any one from making a mistake. au30-dif

☞ Plush and Astrachan, in black and fancy colors, at Oct23 Su&W MORRIS LEVI'S.

Read.

It is well known to doctors and to ladies that women are subject to numerous diseases peculiar to their sex—such as suppression of the menses, whites, painful monthly 'periods,' rheumatism of the back and womb, irregular menstruation, hemorrhage or excessive 'flows,' and prolapsus uteri or falling of the womb.

These diseases have seldom been treated successfully. The profession have sought diligently for some remedy that would enable them to treat these diseases with success.

At last that remedy has been discovered by one of the most skillful physicians in the State of Georgia. That remedy is Bradfield's Female Regulator.

It is purely vegetable, and is put up in Atlanta, Ga., by Bradfield & Co.

It will purify the blood and strengthen the system, relieve irritation of the kidneys, and is a perfect specific for all the above disease—as certain a cure as quinine is in Chills and Fevers.

For a history of diseases, and certificates of its wonderful cures, the reader is referred to the wrapper around the bottle.

Every bottle warranted to give satisfaction or money refunded.

For sale by all druggists. oct5wed&sulm

Wanted.

A few ladies to engage in a light, pleasant and very profitable business. Apply at 126 Fourth street, to Miss D. Worth. oct11 su&wed1f

☞ Shawl suits, new styles, will be opened to-morrow at Oct23 Su&W MORRIS LEVI'S.

Notice

To our old friends and the public in general, that we have now a full line of French and ironstone China, our own importation, also a full assortment of glassware, lamps, chandeliers, silver-plated ware, table cutlery, &c., which we offer at as low prices as any respectable house in the city. J. Dolfinger & Co., 96 Market street, between Third and Fourth. oct16-su&wd.

☞ Five hundred sets of furs, very cheap, at Oct23 Su&W MORRIS LEVI'S.

MARRIED.

WOOD—STAR—On the 26th inst., at the residence of Col. Christopher McKary, of Jefferson county, Ky., by Rev. J. H. Hendrick, Mr. E. G. Wood, of Bloomington, Ills., to Miss MARY A. STAR, stepdaughter of the late Rev. L. P. Cranshaw.

DIED.

SHERIDAN—In Mobile, Ala., Oct. 16, 1870, of yellow fever, EDWARD SHERIDAN, about 36 years of age, formerly of Louisville, Ky.

WELSH—On Tuesday, Oct. 24, 1876, at his residence, Walnut Prairie, Clark co., Ill., MR. JAMES WELSH, aged 70 years.

This estimable man was born in Jefferson county, Ky., He removed to Clark county, Illinois, in the spring of 1831, and ever lived a quiet, active, and consistent member of the Presbyterian church until his death. He was a devoted and affectionate father and true friend.

FRANK W. VOGDES,
ARCHITECT,
No. 134 Main street, Louisville, Ky.
oct8 dtf

Kentucky State Lotteries.
AUTHORIZED by the Legislature.—Drawings at Tuesday, Oct. 31st.
SPECIAL PRIZE EXTRA CLASS 66.
1, 10, 6, 8, 9, 2, 4, 3, 5, 7, 11, 12.
SPECIAL CLASS 66.
8, 31, 36, 1, 72, 35, 57, 45, 24, 65, 66.
Office No. 521 Third street, near Main. Address orders for reserved seats to GEO. WEBSTER, Postoffice Drawer 130, Louisville, Ky.

C. CAMPBELL,
Merchant Tailor
No. 625 Third st., bet. Main and Market sts.
Is receiving his FALL and WINTER GOODS. oct23 dtf

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Dr. SCHENCK advises Consumptives to go to Florida in Winter.

Having lost the last thirty-five years deprived my whole time and attention to the practice of my profession and consequently I lost what I considered a tolerably bad case of disease, longer to healthy patients to visit Florida, and the result was that the patient to visit Florida, and the result was that all speedily got well. Consequently I am now in Florida, well down in the State, where the temperature is regular, and not subject to such variations as in more Northern latitudes. Those who wish to consult me professionally can address me at Tallahassee, Florida, and the letter will be forwarded to me, but I am not to be found at home, but in Florida, and when this is the case I will be found at Jacksonville, Fla., and the letter must be sent there.

Jacksonville, Florida, is the resort of many other places in various parts of Florida, can be safely recommended as a healthy location for invalids. The reasons for saying so are that patients are less liable to take cold in Florida, on account of the warmer temperature, and it is not necessary to say that where a consumptive person contracts a cold he frequent colds he is certain to die shortly. Therefore my advice is, go where you can be certain to be out of the reach of prevailing east winds and fogs. Jacksonville, or Enterprise, Fla., on the line of the railroad named will benefit those who are troubled with a tropic fever, a disordered liver, deranged bowels, sore throat, or cough, but for no one else. Those who are diseased a more southern point is earnestly recommended.

I for fifteen years prior to 1860 I was professionally in New York, Boston, Philadelphia and throughout every week, where I saw and examined on an average five hundred patients, and I have never seen, examined, or even heard of one case of lung disease, has enabled me to understand thoroughly (fully), and hence my caution in regard to taking cold. A person may take a cold as they say, although severe, unimportant, if they neglect it, and resort to some quick acting remedy, such as Dr. Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, Seaweed Tonic, and Mandrake Pills, and yet die if the disease is allowed to run on

BUCHU!

(From the U. S. Dispensatory.)

DIOSMA CRENATA--

BUCHU LEAVES,

PROPERTIES!

Their odor is strong, diffusive, and somewhat aromatic, their taste bitter-ish, and analogous to mint.

Medical Properties, &c

Buchu Leaves are gently stimulant, with a peculiar tendency to the Urinary Organs. They are given in complaints of the Urinary Organs, such as Gravel, Chronic Inflammation of the Bladder, Morbid Irritation of the Bladder and Urethra, Diseases of the Prostate Gland, and retention or Incontinence of Urine from a loss of tone in the parts concerned in its evacuation. The remedy has also been recommended in Dyspepsia, Chronic Rheumatism, Cutaneous Affections, and Dropsy.

Helmbold's Extract Buchu

Is used by persons from the age of 18 to 25, and from 35 to 55, or in the decline or change of life; after confinement or labor pains; bed wetting of children. In affections peculiar to females, the Extract Buchu is unequaled by any other remedy, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Incontinence or Difficulty and Painfulness or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Schirrous State of the Uterus, Leucorrhœa or Whites.

Diseases of the Kidneys

Bladder, Gravel, and Dropsical Swellings.—This medicine increases the power of Digestion, and excites the absorbents into healthy action, by which the Watery or Calcareous deposites and all Unnatural Enlargements are reduced, as well as Pain and Inflammation.

Helmbold's Extract Buchu

Has cured every case of Diabetes in which it has been given, Irritation of the Neck of the Bladder, Inflammation of the Kidneys, Ulceration of the Kidneys and Bladder, Retention of Urine, Disease of the Prostate Gland, these in the Bladder, Calculous, Gravel, Brick-dust Deposit, and Mucous or Milky Discharges, and for all those complaints and debilitating affections of both sexes, attended with the following symptoms: Indisposition to Exertion, Loss of Power, Loss of Memory, Difficulty of Breathing, Weak Nerves, Trembling, Horror of Disease, Wakefulness, Dimness of Vision, Pain in the Back, Hot Hands, Flushing of the Body, Dryness of the Skin, Eruption on the Face, Pallid Countenance, Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System, &c.

Helmbold's Extract Buchu

Is Diuretic and Blood-purifying, and cures all Diseases arising from habits of dissipation, excesses and imprudences in life, impurities of the Blood, &c., superseding Copaiba in affections for which it is used, such as Gonorrhœa, Gleets of long standing, and Syphilitic Affections—in these diseases, used in connection with HELMBOLD'S ROSE WASH.

Sold by all Druggists and Dealers Everywhere,

Beware of Counterfeits. Ask for Helmbold's. Take no other.

PRICE--$1 25 per Bottle, or six Bottles for $6 50. Delivered to any address.

Describe symptoms in all communications. Address

H. T. HELMBOLD,

59 Broadway, New York.

None are genuine unless done up in steel-engraved wrapper, with fac-simile of my Chemical Warehouse, and signed

H. T. HELMBOLD.

Courier-Journal.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 26, 1870

LITERARY.

I.

The History of Wealth.

This magazine for the next month comes to us with an unusually interesting table of contents. We notice particularly an able contribution from the pen of Prof. Huxley upon Our Studies in Physiology, which is alone worth the price of the number. Henry Ward Beecher has an article on the Fruitfulness of the Human Mind, and, as the two seem lately to hunt in couples, the Rev. Mr. Frothingham contributes another upon the Significance of the Temperance Movement. The publishers are Messrs. Wood & Holbrook.

II.

Lothair.

Mr. Disraeli's Lothair seems to be a perfect sphynx in the different interpretations given of the book. The famous criticism in Blackwood assures us that the statesman-author had nothing so much in view in the publication of the book as the hardly concealed intention of hoodwinking the critics and of evidencing how easily the prestige of an author may bear an exceedingly ordinary book over the shoals of failure to its final triumphant enrollment as standard of the language. Father Hecker treats the novel seriously as an attack upon Catholicity, which must be met with all the weapons of polemic skill, and as an evidence of the brewing storm in England against the church, which has been hastened by the recent proselytism of the Marquis of Bute. And now comes a writer in the Home Journal, who treats the work with all the sobriety of criticism that a Froude or a Buckel would demand. As simply the index of the acuility of a once bright genius, it seems to us that it would be nothing more than charity to let the Lothair sink at once into the obscurity its verbosity and absurdity and extravagance will most infallibly bring it in good time.

III.

The Riverside.

The November number of the Riverside Magazine is one of the raciest and most charming editions of that racy and charming young folks' periodical we have yet seen. Messrs. Hurd & Houghton commenced the publication of the magazine but three years ago, but it has to-day achieved the, for the children, proud position of succeeding the old Merry's Museum in interest, and has established for itself an added reputation even surpassing that of the above-named magazine of a dozen years ago. We have submitted the number in question to the best criticism in the world of such publications, that of the children themselves, and are content to accept their opinion for the basis of our own remarks. The number before us has for its cartoon this month—perhaps the most successful feature of the magazine—a series of silhouettes, with explanatory verses, on the first page. Mr. Stockton continues his "House that John Built," as does Miss Hale her pleasant little novelette, Effie and her Thoughts. The remaining space of the number is taken up with the usual quota of simple child stories, historical tales, readable bits of poetry, funny anecdotes for the boys, and the two or three pages for the ingenious rebuses and charades.

IV.

An Anti-Religious Novel.

Almost a Priest, by the author of almost a Nun, McKinney & Hazlett, Philadelphia, publishers, is a novel aimed full against Roman Catholicism, particularly as manifested in this country, and we have no doubt it will secure many readers. The best we can say of it is, that it is not indecent, and therefore many in the pantheon will be disappointed. It is utterly weak and worthless, and brimful of petty spite and prejudice. The bigoted reader, and from its character it can have no others, save the unfortunate reviewers, will doubtless be pleased with it and accept all its statements as literally true. It will confirm such in the belief that there are no good, pure, earnest, earnest Christians in the nation, that has done more than all the other sects put together in Christianizing the heathen, and spreading a knowledge of Christ throughout the world, save those that are hopelessly imbecile. It will never enter into the minds of such readers to suspect that all the vile characters delineated in the book are to be found quite as often in other churches as in the Roman. Its inflated, meretricious style, its absurd tales, its unfair and unwarranted conclusions, will be found by such to please their fancy, gratify their credulous thirst for the marvelous, and satisfy their reasoning and uncultivated intellects. It can be had at almost any book store in town.

V.

Atlantic Monthly.

The Atlantic Monthly has been making, with the present year, a manly effort to attain its old prominence as the best magazine in the country. As an exponent of the thought of the intellectual center of the nation, it has every opportunity to achieve such excellence, and, should it learn to forbear its sectional bias and petty local prejudices, there can exist no reason why it should not become the cosmopolitan magazine of the country. In the number before us, the publishers have made use of solely New England talent, yet the result astonishes us in its remarkable avoidance of such sectional interests or inclinations. T. W. Higginson opens with a seeming description of his own home, which he calls Footsteps. The Return, which we judge to be by Whittier, is a pleasant little summer idyl. Mrs. Stowe continues her Old Town Stories, with Captain Kidd's Money, an Idiomatic recollection of her Sam Lawson. Miss Austin contributes slightly Eyebeamish amusing experience in the Powder Mills, which is followed by the only transcendental article in the number, whose title, Experiments, would suggest the principle of social economy of which it treats. Bayard Taylor has two articles—the continuation of his novel, George and his Friends, and a November Pastoral, the most successful essay in blank verse he has yet made. For the rest, Fechter's management of the Globe Theater in Boston suggests a criticism upon his Hamlet by Miss Kate Field; Dwight contributes a Unitarian Intellectual Influence of Music, David Gray an article upon the Immaculate Conception of Murillo, H. James, Jr., My Traveling Companions. The number closes with the fourth article upon Charles Dickens, Mr. Burlingame as an Orator, and the usual reviews and literary notices.

VI.

The Southern Review.

The man who can keep a hotel is proverbially capable, but we consider that any one who can at the present time run a quarterly, shows ability of far higher order. The time has been; before the days of railroads and telegraphs, when the quickest way of power in the land, that could wither a rising poet or even shake the power of a ministry, but now the discussion of all current topics must perforce be left to the newspapers and magazines, for the great reading public cannot be interested in things three months old, which they have had fully presented them, over and over, in the interim. A quarterly, then, must address itself almost exclusively to scholars and dismiss in its pages only subjects of perpetual importance, and even then its success is doubtful. The North American Review, the oldest quarterly in existence, and established at one of the intellectual foci of the country, can not claim any financial success. What general circulation then can be expected for the Southern Review, among a people occupied like our own in still subduing nature and worrying with wild lands—whose circumstances have afforded them neither the leisure nor literary culture requisite to develop a large patronage for such a periodical? The fault is certainly not in the manner in which the Review is edited. The October number is before us and is unusually full of good things of general interest, as the following titles of articles will show: History of Stenography, The Plurality of Worlds, The Cemetary Universe, Hellenism—Old and New, and The Education and Influence of Woman. This last article we cannot sufficiently praise. It tells the whole secret of the subjection of woman, lack of mental culture, and describes most graphically the common career of a schoolgirl, while the course marked out for young men is presented in striking contrast. The habit of reading without reflection," he says, "weakens, beyond everything else, the intellectual powers." The article upon Robert Young Hayne is a capital historical sketch of a most able and remarkable man. The poetry—well, we won't say anything about that. The first article, on The Spirit of Exhilaration, although marked by the lively sarcasm of the editor, is too unlike in its whole tone to have been printed in such a journal. La Place, Buckle, Lecky, Channing, should not be pleased the power of patient thought because they hold a different religious belief from that generally accepted. And "God bless Jesus," thinkers have disbelieved the doctrine of the Trinity, Milton, Newton, and Locke for example, to be called for that reason donkeys and cabbage-heads. The remaining article, on the Boston Revolt, states freely and fully, perhaps too fully as necessities petty personalities, the troubles and vexations of the editor in his management of his periodical for the last three years and a half, and gives the reasons why he proposes to add a theological department to the Review and make it in so much the official organ of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. We should suppose that no reasonable person could object to such a judicious course, as thereby the work will gain both in usefulness and in finance, and we for our part, while sympathizing with the editor in his laborious work for small wage, wish him all success for the future.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

FANNY FERN's weigh is nearly 200.

GRANT and Hancock have "made up."

DRAKE, of Missouri, would be an eagle. The election will make him sore.

CRASS, the "father of greenbacks," is reported comparatively impecunious.

ANNA DICKINSON delivers "Joan of Arc" almost every night, and is making money.

DRAKE has evidently been caught on the fly, and McClurg won't make the home run.

Extremes meet in Minnesota. Professor Noyes has charge of the deaf and dumb there.

AKRON, Ohio, women get their husbands drunk, and then prepare the corpse with a poker.

Now it turns out that George H. Pendleton has a sop, but that he is not at the breastworks.

PERHAPS Missouri has never had her goose cooked, but she is going to have her Drake done Brown.

WHY is Missouri shall have voted Drake will be the most thoroughly prepared aquatic corpse on record.

BRIGHAM YOUNG, JR., has proposed to the Young Ladies' Seminary lately opened by the Methodists at Salt Lake.

WHEN Drake wanted to know if "the Government" would back him he looked to the White House for an *esser*.

COUNT MENSENBRINCKS will be missed from our hotel registers. He left by the last Inman steamer, name and all.

THE Cincinnati Commercial says "Mr. Medill would be peculiar in Congress from the fullness of his information."

SUSAN B. ANTHONY's ailment turns out to be, not a disorder of the windpipe, but a disarrangement of the fungiform papilæ.

THE New York Sun, too, has a kick for the dead Lee. The remarks of the gentleman from the Police Gazette are now in order.

EVERYBODY will be glad to hear of Delano's promotion. His course in the revenue department has been a fiasco to thousands.

TEN thousand Southern men who live in New York have registered for the coming election, and will make it warm for the Republicans.

THE 2 Tribunes are both doing a good business, but the Chicago concern knows so little about farming that its success can't be permanent.

THE way a Colorado deacon laid up treasures in heaven is thus touchingly recorded on his tombstone: "When counting money rendered it impossible for him to attend the stated preaching of the gospel, he made it a sacred rule to kill an Indian every Sabbath."

THE London Court Journal of October 8 says: "Mrs. Lincoln, widow of the late President of the United States of America, arrived in London on Wednesday, on a visit to Mr. Smith, the American Consul, and pastor to the late President. She will be Mr. Smith's guest till Monday, when, it is understood, she will return to the continent, where she had been residing sometime before coming to Dundee."

NEW YORK has two hotels of nearly similar names—the Grand Hotel and the Grand Central or Central Grand. Hotel, both on Broadway. It not unfrequently happens that the baggage of a stranger goes to one house and he himself is carried to another. In other cases a husband expects his wife or a wife her husband, and one goes one way and the other another, until things get so mixed up that sometimes mischief if not divorce ensues.

Two remarkable incidents occurred the day the Gen. left. A large portrait of the General, which was hanging in the parlor of his house, fell to the floor, breaking the heavy frame surrounding it. A large photograph of him hanging in the photograph gallery in the town, fell about the same time and broke into pieces. These was apparently no disturbing cause or force to produce either accident. No one was in the parlor when the portrait fell but Mrs. Lee, who was sitting quietly in the room.

THEY rather imposed upon Mr. Greeley out West. At Lawrence he was taken in a carriage to see the city and its improvements. Keeping him engaged in conversation, the reverent scamps of his escort drove five or six times around a square, at each circuit passing a very fine building in course of erection. At about the fifth round Horace broke forth: "Well, well, Lawrence is growing rapidly. Why, there is very large number of fine buildings going up. Don't you fancy there is a little monotony in the architecture, though?"

IT has been questioned whether Beauregard really offered his services to the French. The fact, according to a London correspondent are these: Previous to the fall of Sedan, he communicated to the Emperor, through Col. Duncan, his desire to serve him in his military capacity. The Emperor replied from Wilhelmshohe. He thanked the General for the offer, regretting it was too late to avail himself of it, and advising him, in the present state of France, to tender his to the Provisional Government, who, no doubt, would eagerly accept it.

THE murderer Wilson, who tried nine days of self-starvation in the Connecticut State pr'son, thus describes his feelings: "On the fourth and fifth days the trial was terrible; the ravings of hunger were fearful; I could hardly stand it. After that, hunger ceased. On the sixth day my thirst was so intense that involuntarily I brought the wash-dish to my lips and drank several swallows of water; the dish came involuntarily to my lips; I could not put it by. On the ninth day I sat back during the wine and a half days." He claims to have been engaged in over one hundred burglaries, besides having broken jail several times.

MERIDEN, Connecticut, has a man who practices public executions. This miserable fellow, laboring under the erroneous belief that "Wilson, the murderer of Nelson Wilford, is to be hanged in Hartford on Friday of this week, has written from a bed of sickness to the Sheriff requesting that he be permitted, his health allowing the luxury, to assist at the execution. "You remember," he confidentially adds, "that I assisted in hanging Weather." The Sheriff was good-natured enough to reply to this note, with the information that as Wilson was not to be hanged until this time next year, the anxious invalid would possibly be well enough, at the expiration of that period, to enjoy the scene.

MELANCHOLY announcements like the following are common enough in the German papers: "In our deep and inexpressible sorrow we give notice to our dear relations, friends, and acquaintances that it has pleased Almighty God to call away our dear, youngest, beloved and hopeful sons, Rudolph and Oswald, entered in the Third Wurtemberg regiment of infantry, in the flower of their age. They both died on the 16th inst., in the battle of Mar.-la-Tour, the death of heroes for King and country. Rudolph was struck by a ball while storming the position of the enemy at the head of his company, in the moment that he was calling to his men, 'Forward, my children!' Oswald, who was taking an order to the first line of shooters, was killed in the act. V. Arnim and his wife, Weisiar."

MRS. ESTHER M. DAVIS has re-appeared in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, with the following card: "I at no time since I left have been out of hearing of the statements and announcements, but have been listening to the comments to see how extravagantly people will construe the acts of a helpless woman that has been forced to do what I have done. *Forced*, I say, because I am not willing any longer to work by the week to support a lazy husband; I am broken down, and unable to do it longer. I have worked out by the week at one dollar and fifty cents per week to support him. I have taken in sewing, have kept a boarding-house, and even done washing, to support myself and child and Davis. And, after having done all this for years, I have been abused, oppressed, and whipped by him. And now, if there is any women in town who sympathizes with him, they are welcome to my place, as I propose, henceforth, to spend the remainder of my strength in supporting myself and my child. I could develop things as to this man Davis that would startle the community, but, if I am asked no questions, I shall say nothing further."

FRENCH AMADEUS FERDINAND MARIE, Duke d' Aosta, of the House of Savoy, who has accepted the long-present throne of Spain, is the third child and second son of his Majesty King Victor Emanuel, of Italy. The Duke was born on the 30th of May, in the year 1845, and is twenty-five years of age. His Royal Highness holds the commission of Lieutenant General in the Italian army and chief of a regiment of cavalry. He was married on the 30th of May, in the year 1867, to the Princess Marie Victoire Charlotte Henrietta Jean, daughter of Prince Charles Emanuel Cisterna and Louise Caroline Christine, Countess de Mercede. It is quite unnecessary to refer to the great antiquity of the House of Savoy, of which the young King of Spain is a cadet, its brilliant history in war and peace, or to say how its forefathers have borne the banner of the White Cross—the ensign of their family—from the mountain hamlets of the country victoriously to the plains—to Florence, Genoa, Turin or Naples, for these are points of view how his father has finally thrown the ample folds of the flag of united Italy over the entire country, from Rome to its remotest confine. The most blue-blooded Spaniard cannot certainly object to Prince Amadeus on the score of ancestry.—[Herald.

SPONTANEOUS GENERATION.

Ancient and Modern Theories on the Subject.

[From a Lecture by Prof. Huxley.]

It is a matter of every-day experience that it is difficult to prevent many articles of food from becoming corrupt with mould; but that sound enough to all appearances, often contains grubs at the core; that meat, left to itself in the air, is apt to putrefy and swarm with maggots. Even ordinary water, if allowed to stand in an open vessel, sooner or later becomes turbid and full of living matter. The philosophers of antiquity, when interrogated as to the cause of these phenomena, were provided with a ready and plausible answer. It did not enter their minds even to doubt, that those low forms of life were generated in the matters in which they made their appearance, and the proposition that life may and does proceed from that which has no life was held alike by the philosophers, the poets and the people of the most enlightened nations 1800 years ago, and remained the accepted doctrine of learned and unlearned Europe through the middle ages down even to the seventeenth century.

SPONTANEOUS GENERATION DISCREDITED

The first representation of it, the first distinct enunciation of the proposition that all living matter has sprung from pre-existing living matter, came from an Italian, Francesco Redi, a man of the widest knowledge and many-sided versatile abilities, distinguished alike as scholar, poet, physician and naturalist, who just 200 years ago gave to the world the idea which is the key-stone of modern science. He did not trouble himself with speculative considerations, but attacked experimentally the question of the origin of particular cases of spontaneous generation. "Here are dead animals, or pieces of meat," he said; "I expose them to the air in hot weather, and in a few days they swarm with maggots. You tell me that these are generated in the dead flesh, but if I put similar bodies, or pieces of meat, into jars, and cover some fine gauze over the top of the jar, not a maggot makes its appearance, while the dead substances, nevertheless, putrefy just in the same way as before. It is obvious, therefore, that the maggots are not generated in the corruption of the meat; and that the cause of their formation must be something which is kept away by gauze. But gauze will not keep away uniform bodies or fluids. This something must, therefore, exist in the form of solid particles too big to get through the gauze. Nor is one long left in doubt what these solid particles are; for the blow-flies, attracted by the odor of the meat, swarm round the vessels, and, urged by a powerful but in this case misleading, instinct, lay eggs, out of which maggots are immediately hatched upon the gauze. The conclusion, therefore, is unavoidable—the maggots are not generated by the meat, but the eggs which give rise to them are brought through the air by flies." Almost childishly simple as these experiments now seem, they were at that time new; and they are worthy of careful study. Every piece of experimental work since done in relation to this subject, has been shaped upon the model left by the Italian philosopher.

EXPERIMENTS BY BUFFON AND NEEDHAM

Led by Redi's experiments and conclusions, Buffon and Needham doubted the applicability of Redi's hypothesis to the infusorial animalcules, and, therefore, endeavored to bring the question to an experimental test. He argued that if these creatures were produced from germs, the germs must exist either in the substance forming the food of the animal, or in the air. Now, the vitality of germs is destroyed by heat; and hence, if the infusion were boiled, carefully corked, and the vessels containing it again heated, all germs present would be destroyed. Consequently, on Redi's hypothesis, when the vessels thus prepared were set aside to cool, no animalcules should be developed in them; whereas if animalcules are not dependent upon pre existing germs, but are generated from the substance infused, they ought to appear in abundance. Buffon, a Needham found, under the circumstances in which he made his experiments, that animalcules always did arise. The interest of much of his work Needham was associated with Buffon, and the results of their experiments fitted with the French naturalist's hypothesis of "organic molecules," a conception to which life is the indefeasible property of certain indestructible molecules of matter which exist in all living things, and have an inherent activities by which they are distinguished from not living matter. Each individual living organism is formed by their temporary combination. They exist in the relatively solid state in the substance of the tissues, and when, by the death of the animal or of a part, or merely the breaking up of the form, or manner of association, of its component molecules occurs, which are then set free as minsorial animalcules. On this hypothesis a piece of beef, or a turnip when dead may be made visible by appropriate means; that the great majority of these particles are destructible by heat, and that some of these are germs of living particles capable of giving rise to the same forms of life as those which appear when the fluid is exposed to unpurified air; that inoculation of the experimental fluid with a drop of liquid known to contain living particles gives rise to the same phenomena as exposure to unpurified air; and it is further certain that these living particles are not annihilated by an assumption or their suspension in ordinary air presents not the slightest difficulty. On the contrary, considering their lightness and the wide diffusion of the organisms which produce them, it is impossible to conceive that they should not be suspended in the atmosphere in myriads.

"Just Like Cincinnati."

[From the Chicago Republican, edited by a Cincinnatian.]

The telegraph wires are relieved of one of the burdens with which they have been made the means of boring newspaper readers for a month or two. The great industrial imposition at Cincinnati is closed. The concern, the reader may remember, was an ingenious advertising dodge of a few Pokopoltitan shopkeepers, who, finding they were not doing business enough in a legitimate way to pay running expenses, clubbed their stocks together, carted them to the shed built to house the late Sacngerfest, and opened it as a big show, admission two bits—children half price. The scrubbiest arrangement about equaled the stock of a well-supplied Chicago store, but it proved a first-rate card in Cincinnati. People flocked in from the country to see it, the railroads ran half-fare trains, and the enthusiastic reporter of the Associated Press, in his daily despatches, embezzled his vocabulary of superlatives in describing the gorgeous display. About $60,000 were collected from the verdant visitors who patronized the affair, and the cash and the sun is to be divided in "proper time" among the gallery up at the show. We are not informed as to the future disposition of the shed and its contents; perhaps the owners of the latter may conclude to let these remain and keep the place open for regular business. The establishment as large of any architecturality as solid and impositive as the ordinary lecture-rooms of other cities.

Spain supplies more wine to England than France and Portugal combined; the figures preceding Spain, eight millions of gallons; Portugal, three millions, and France, one million.

INDIANA NEWS.

Mad dogs at Lafayette.

A new theater at Vincennes.

Lafayette goes "up in a balloon" on Saturday next.

Good hunting dogs sell at Terre Haute for $100 each.

Hon. D. W. Voorhees is to make six speeches in Illinois.

Kalamazoo has a dog afflicted with the genuine shaking ague.

The Oratorio of Esther proved to be a great success in Indianapolis.

The Indiana Northern Synod closed its session at Fort Wayne yesterday.

No less than three "young Hoosiers" thrashed their fathers last week.

A new Radical paper is being published at Muncie. It is called the Telegraph.

A church scandal of no inconsiderable magnitude is furnishing food for the gossips of Lafayette.

A pumpkin, five feet in circumference, and in weight 138 pounds, can be seen at Marion, Grant county.

Mrs. Garden, of Bourbon, was severely burned on Saturday last by falling on a rocking stove while bathing.

A tender-hearted young man fainted during the rendition of some tragedy at the Vincennes theater last week.

The Republican Times has suspended for a couple of weeks, in order to let the editor collect back subscriptions.

Mrs. Loget, of Porter county, got a divorce in court on Friday afternoon, and was married promptly at sunset Saturday.

A girl, twelve years old, in Terre Haute, by the name of Anderson, was delivered of a large and healthy child last week.

The trotting races at Anderson began yesterday, and will continue three days. Many of the best blooded horses of the West have been entered.

Fred. Oberkinder was tried in Evansville on Saturday last for murder of Valentine Arnold, and was convicted of manslaughter and sent to prison for five years.

A physician of Valparaiso was out seventeen nights in succession attending to "late arrivals." An anxious inquiry is now being made for the census man to come back.

A lady in Jasper county (aged seventy-six) wants a divorce from her husband (aged seventy-eight) because he "spends half his time running about with the girls."

A true bill has been found against Ella Foster alias Mahan, by the grand jury of Marion county, for the crime of arson, in setting fire to the Home for Friendless Women.

A moon-struck youth of Harrison county voted a half sheet of note paper with a lock of a negro-colored hair curled within, instead of the regular ticket, at the last election.

An exchange says Senator Morton is at the magnetic springs, at Lansing, Michigan, trying to get rid of his rheumatism. Rheumatism is generally supposed to be caused by a long lease of life. He has already tried the pleasure of married life three times.

At Cambridge City, two men connected with the Fair Grounds enticed a little girl fourteen years old into their canvas tent on Friday week, just before the close of the fair, and, after dragging her, violated her person. Having accomplished this, they set her down outside of the canvas in an insensible condition. When she recovered from her stupor she made her way into town, found her father, and described the persons, one of whom was arrested.

The following paragraph from the Evansville Journal illustrates the amenities of journalism in that village:

"What the Journal editors is a fight like a seamstress? Because he cuts and runs. The above is from the Courier, who, a previous week, was in a like

Courier-Journal.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 26, 1870.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at the Louisville Postoffice.

MAILS.	ARRIVE. Day.	ARRIVE. HOUR	CLOSE. Day.	CLOSE. HOUR
Cin. & Eastern	6:30 A.M. 2:00 P.M.	10:00	9:15	12:00 1:15
Indianapolis and Chicago	1:00	12:00	1:00	12:00
St. Louis	8:00	8:00	1:00	12:00
Memphis, Cincinnati and Nashville & New Orleans	10:00	10:00	9:30 A.M. 2:30 P.M. 8:30 P.M.	10:00
East Tennessee	8:00	8:00	9:30 A.M.	10:00
Lebanon & Hodgenville Branch	8:00	8:00	9:30 A.M.	10:00
Bardstown Branch	8:00	8:00	2:00	12:00
Shelbyville Branch	8:00	8:00	2:00	12:00
Frankfort & Lexington	11:00	7:00	2:00	12:00
Louisville Mail Cincinnati Mail			2:00	12:00
Louisville Mail Boat (Sunday excepted)	9:30	9:00		
Jeffersonville	9:00	9:00	3:00	12:00
New Albany	9:00	9:00	3:00	12:00
Jeffersonville	7:00 A.M. 2:00 P.M.	10:00	1:00	12:00
Bardstown & Mt. Washington	6:00	6:00	2:00	12:00
Bardstown & Fairfield	6:00	6:00	2:00	12:00
Shelbyville	6:00	6:00	2:00	12:00
Eminence, Hardinsburg, Brandenburg, Harrodsburg, Perryville, Danville, Stanford, Crab Orchard, Richmond, Irvine, Winchester, Mt. Sterling, Versailles, Frankfort, Shelbyville, Bardstown, Elizabethtown, Hodgenville, Lebanon, Springfield